

### REMARKS

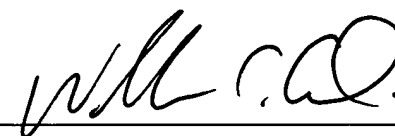
This submission is in response to the Office Action dated July 9, 2001. In that Office Action, the Examiner stated that a computer readable form of the sequence listing had not been submitted, and that an initial computer readable form of the Sequence Listing, along with a statement that the contents of the paper and computer readable form are the same and include no new matter must be provided. Applicants submit herewith a new Sequence Listing in paper form and an amendment directing its entry into the specification, along with the computer readable form of the sequence listing on the enclosed diskette in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825. Applicants hereby request entry of the paper copy of the substitute Sequence Listing into the specification. No new matter has been added.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f) and (g), the undersigned attorney for Applicants hereby states that the information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper) sequence listing. The undersigned attorney for Applicants hereby states that the submission herein does not include new matter.

An early and favorable action on the merits is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,  
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